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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$15,045,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, SERIES 2007C (URBAN RENEWAL), AND LEVYING A TAX TO PAY SAID BONDS

WHEREAS, the City of Des Moines, Iowa also is in need of funds to pay costs of aiding in the planning, undertaking and carrying out of urban renewal project activities under the authority of Chapter 403 of the Code of Iowa and the Urban Renewal Plans for the Metro Center Urban Renewal Project Area, the Southeast Agribusiness Urban Renewal Area, and the Guthrie Avenue Business Park Urban Renewal Area, including the structural repair and corrosion protection of bridges and viaducts, the acquisition, construction and equipping of a Fire Department Logistics and Training Facility, the construction of a parking garage over the City Hall parking lot, the improvement of Principal Park Stadium, the construction and installation of Riverwalk project improvements, and the construction, reconstruction and repair of street, streetscape and skywalk system improvements, including I-235 storm and sanitary sewer improvements, the Southeast Connector improvements, Court Avenue streetscape and Riverpoint West street improvements, essential corporate purpose projects, and it is deemed necessary and advisable that the City issue general obligation bonds for said purposes as authorized by Section 403.12 of the Code of Iowa;

WHEREAS, pursuant to notice published as required by Sections 403.12 and 384.24(3)(q), this Council has held a public meeting and hearing on April 23, 2007 upon the proposal to institute proceedings for the issuance of not to exceed \$15,355,000 in principal amount of general obligation bonds for the above described purposes; and no petition was filed in the manner provided by Section 362.4 of the City Code of Iowa, pursuant to the provisions of Section 403.12, and all objections, if any, to such Council action made by any resident or property owner of said City were received and considered by the Council;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 384.28 of the City Code of Iowa and Roll Call No. 07-916 approved on May 7, 2007, it has been determined that the general obligation bonds heretofore authorized for the purposes hereinabove described should be combined for purposes of issuance and sale as a separate series of bonds (together, the "Bonds") in the aggregate principal amount of \$15,045,000 as hereinafter set forth; and

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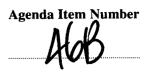
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WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 75 of the Code of Iowa, the above mentioned Bonds were heretofore sold at public sale and action should now be taken to issue said Bonds conforming to the terms and conditions of the best bid received at the advertised public sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA:

Section 1. <u>Definitions</u>. The following terms shall have the following meanings in this Resolution unless the text expressly or by necessary implication requires otherwise:

- □ "Authorized Denominations" shall mean \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof.
- □ "Beneficial Owner" shall mean the person in whose name such Bond is recorded as the beneficial owner of a Bond by a Participant on the records of such Participant or such person's subrogee.
- □ "Bonds" shall mean \$15,045,000 General Obligation Bonds, Series 2007C (Urban Renewal), authorized to be issued by this Resolution.
- □ "Cede & Co." shall mean Cede & Co., the nominee of DTC, and any successor nominee of DTC with respect to the Bonds.
- □ "Continuing Disclosure Certificate" shall mean that certain Continuing Disclosure Certificate executed by the Issuer and dated the date of issuance and delivery of the Bonds, as originally executed and as it may be amended from time to time in accordance with the terms thereof.
- □ "Depository Bonds" shall mean the Bonds as issued in the form of one global certificate for each maturity, registered in the Registration Books maintained by the Registrar in the name of DTC or its nominee.
- "DTC" shall mean The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, a limited purpose trust company, or any successor book-entry securities depository appointed for the Bonds.



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- □ "Issuer" and "City" shall mean the City of Des Moines, Iowa.
- □ "Participants" shall mean those broker-dealers, banks and other financial institutions for which DTC holds Bonds as securities depository.
- □ "Paying Agent" shall mean the Treasurer, or such successor as may be approved by Issuer as provided herein and who shall carry out the duties prescribed herein as Issuer's agent to provide for the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same shall become due.
- □ "Project Fund" shall mean the fund required to be established by this Resolution for the deposit of the proceeds of the Bonds.
- □ "Rebate Fund" shall mean the fund so defined in and established pursuant to the Tax Exemption Certificate.
- □ "Registrar" shall mean the Treasurer, or such successor as may be approved by Issuer as provided herein and who shall carry out the duties prescribed herein with respect to maintaining a register of the owners of the Bonds. Unless otherwise specified, the Registrar shall also act as Transfer Agent for the Bonds.
- □ "Representation Letter" shall mean the Blanket Issuer Letter of Representations executed and delivered by the Issuer to DTC.
- □ "Tax Exemption Certificate" shall mean the Tax Exemption Certificate executed by the Treasurer and delivered at the time of issuance and delivery of the Bonds.
- □ "Treasurer" shall mean the City Treasurer or such other officer as shall succeed to the same duties and responsibilities with respect to the recording and payment of the Bonds issued hereunder.

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Section 2. Levy and Certification of Annual Tax; Other Funds to be Used.

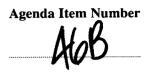
(a) <u>Levy of Annual Tax</u>. That for the purpose of providing funds to pay the principal and interest of the Bonds hereinafter authorized to be issued, there is hereby levied for each future year the following direct annual tax on all of the taxable property in Des Moines, Iowa, to-wit:

	FISCAL YEAR (JULY 1 TO JUNE 30)
AMOUNT	YEAR OF COLLECTION:
\$2,626,419	2008/2009
1,363,581	2009/2010
1,366,181	2010/2011
1,367,381	2011/2012
1,367,181	2012/2013
1,365,581	2013/2014
1,367,581	2014/2015
1,372,981	2015/2016
1,371,581	2016/2017
1,378,581	2017/2018
1,377,175	2018/2019
1,378,913	2019/2020
1,383,588	2020/2021
1,334,400	2021/2022

(NOTE: For example the levy to be made and certified against the taxable valuations of January 1, 2007, will be collected during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2008).

(b) <u>Resolution to be Filed With County Auditor</u>. A certified copy of this Resolution should be filed with the County Auditor of Polk County, Iowa, and said Auditor is hereby instructed in and for each of the years as provided, to levy and assess the tax hereby authorized in Section 2 of this Resolution, in like manner as other taxes are levied and assessed, and such taxes so levied in and for each of the years aforesaid be collected in like manner as other taxes of the City are collected, and when collected be used for the purpose of paying principal and





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interest on said Bonds issued in anticipation of said tax, and for no other purpose whatsoever.

(c) <u>Additional City Funds Available</u>. Principal and interest coming due at any time when the proceeds of said tax on hand shall be insufficient to pay the same shall be promptly paid when due from current funds of the City available for that purpose and reimbursement shall be made from such special fund in the amounts thus advanced.

Section 3. <u>Bond Fund</u>. Said tax shall be collected each year at the same time and in the same manner as, and in addition to, all other taxes in and for the City, and when collected they shall be converted into a special fund within the Debt Service Fund to be known as the "GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND FUND 2007C (URBAN RENEWAL)" (the "Bond Fund"), which is hereby pledged for and shall be used only for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds hereinafter authorized to be issued; and also there shall be apportioned to said fund its proportion of taxes received by the City from railway, express, telephone and telegraph companies and other taxes assessed by the Iowa State Department of Revenue.

Section 4. <u>Application of Bond Proceeds</u>. Proceeds of the Bonds other than accrued interest except as may be provided below shall be credited to the Project Fund and expended therefrom for the purposes of issuance. Any amounts on hand in the Project Fund shall be available for the payment of the principal of or interest on the Bonds at any time that other funds shall be insufficient to the purpose, in which event such funds shall be repaid to the Project Fund at the earliest opportunity. Any balance on hand in the Project Fund and not immediately required for its purposes may be invested not inconsistent with limitations provided by law or this Resolution. Accrued interest, if any, shall be deposited in the Bond Fund.

Section 5. <u>Investments of Bond Fund Proceeds</u>. All moneys held in the Bond Fund, provided for by Section 3 of this Resolution shall be invested in investments permitted by Chapter 12B, Code of Iowa, 2005 (formerly Chapter 452, Code of Iowa, as amended) or deposited in financial institutions which are members of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and the deposits in which are insured thereby and all such deposits exceeding the maximum amount insured from time to time by FDIC or its equivalent successor in any one financial institution shall be continuously secured by a valid pledge of direct obligations of the United States Government having an equivalent market value.



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All such interim investments shall mature before the date on which the moneys are required for payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds as herein provided.

Section 6. Bond Details, Execution and Redemption.

(a) <u>Bond Details</u>. General Obligation Urban Renewal Bonds of the City in the amount of \$15,045,000, shall be issued pursuant to the provisions of Section 403.12 of the Code of Iowa for the aforesaid purposes. The Bonds shall be designated "GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND, SERIES 2007C (URBAN RENEWAL)", be dated the date of delivery, and bear interest from the date thereof, until payment thereof, at the office of the Paying Agent, said interest payable on December 1, 2007, and semiannually thereafter on the lst day of June and December in each year until maturity at the rates hereinafter provided.

The Bonds shall be executed by the manual or facsimile signature of the Mayor and attested by the manual or facsimile signature of the Clerk, and imprinted or impressed with the seal of the City and shall be fully registered as to both principal and interest as provided in this Resolution; principal, interest and premium, if any, shall be payable at the office of the Paying Agent by mailing of a check to the registered owner of the Bond. The Bonds shall be in the denomination of \$5,000 or multiples thereof. The Bonds shall mature and bear interest as follows:

Interest <u>Rate</u>	Principal <u>Amount</u>	Maturity June 1st	
4.000%	\$ 695,000	2008	
4.000	780,000	2009	
4.000	810,000	2010	
4.000	845,000	2011	
4.000	880,000	2012	
4.000	915,000	2013	
4.000	950,000	2014	
4.000	990,000	2015	
4.000	1,035,000	2016	
4.000	1,075,000	2017	
4.125	1,125,000	2018	
4.125	1,170,000	2019	

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4.125	1,220,000	2020
4.250	1,275,000	2021
4.250	1,280,000	2022

(b) <u>Redemption</u>. Bonds maturing after June 1, 2015 may be called for redemption by the Issuer and paid before maturity on said date or any date thereafter, from any funds regardless of source, in whole or from time to time in part, in any order of maturity and within an annual maturity by lot. The terms of redemption shall be par, plus accrued interest to date of call.

Thirty days' notice of redemption shall be given by certified mail to the registered owner of the Bond. Failure to give such notice by mail to any registered owner of the Bonds or any defect therein shall not affect the validity of any proceedings for the redemption of the Bonds. All Bonds or portions thereof called for redemption will cease to bear interest after the specified redemption date, provided funds for their redemption are on deposit at the place of payment.

If selection by lot within a maturity is required, the Registrar shall designate the Bonds to be redeemed by random selection of the names of the registered owners of the entire annual maturity until the total amount of Bonds to be called has been reached.

Section 7. Issuance of Bonds in Book-Entry Form; Replacement Bonds.

(a) Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Resolution regarding registration, ownership, transfer, payment and exchange of the Bonds, unless the Issuer determines to permit the exchange of Depository Bonds for Bonds in the Authorized Denominations, the Bonds shall be issued as Depository Bonds in denominations of the entire principal amount of each maturity of Bonds (or, if a portion of said principal amount is prepaid, said principal amount less the prepaid amount); and such Depository Bonds shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of DTC. Payment of semi-annual interest for any Depository Bond shall be made by wire transfer or New York Clearing House or equivalent next day funds to the account of Cede & Co. on the interest payment date for the Bonds at the address indicated in or pursuant to the Representation Letter.

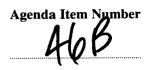
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(b) With respect to Depository Bonds, neither the Issuer nor the Paying Agent shall have any responsibility or obligation to any Participant or to any Beneficial Owner. Without limiting the immediately preceding sentence, neither the Issuer nor the Paying Agent shall have any responsibility or obligation with respect to (i) the accuracy of the records of DTC or its nominee or of any Participant with respect to any ownership interest in the Bonds, (ii) the delivery to any Participant, any Beneficial Owner or any other person, other than DTC or its nominee, of any notice with respect to the Bonds, (iii) the payment to any Participant, any Beneficial Owner or any other person, other than DTC or its nominee, of any notice with respect to the Bonds, (iii) the Bonds, or (iv) the failure of DTC to provide any information or notification on behalf of any Participant or Beneficial Owner.

The Issuer and the Paying Agent may treat DTC or its nominee as, and deem DTC or its nominee to be, the absolute owner of each Bond for the purpose of payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on such Bond, for the purpose of all other matters with respect to such Bond, for the purpose of registering transfers with respect to such Bonds, and for all other purposes whatsoever (except for the giving of certain Bondholder consents, in accordance with the practices and procedures of DTC as may be applicable thereto). The Paying Agent shall pay all principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds only to or upon the order of the Bondholders as shown on the Registration Books, and all such payments shall be valid and effective to fully satisfy and discharge the Issuer's obligations with respect to the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds to the extent so paid. Notwithstanding the provisions of this Resolution to the contrary (including without limitation those provisions relating to the surrender of Bonds, registration thereof, and issuance in Authorized Denominations), as long as the Bonds are Depository Bonds, full effect shall be given to the Representation Letter and the procedures and practices of DTC thereunder, and the Paving Agent shall comply therewith.

(c) Upon (i) a determination by the Issuer that DTC is no longer able to carry out its functions or is otherwise determined unsatisfactory, or (ii) a determination by DTC that the Bonds are no longer eligible for its depository services or (iii) a determination by the Paying Agent that DTC has resigned or discontinued its services for the Bonds, the Issuer shall (A) designate a satisfactory substitute depository as set forth below or, if a satisfactory substitute is not found, (B) provide for the exchange of Depository Bonds for replacement Bonds in Authorized Denominations.



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(d) If the Issuer determines to provide for the exchange of Depository Bonds for Bonds in Authorized Denominations, the Issuer shall so notify the Paying Agent and shall provide the Registrar with a supply of executed unauthenticated Bonds to be so exchanged. The Registrar shall thereupon notify the owners of the Bonds and provide for such exchange, and to the extent that the Beneficial Owners are designated as the transferee by the owners, the Bonds will be delivered in appropriate form, content and Authorized Denominations to the Beneficial Owners, as their interests appear.

(e) Any substitute depository shall be designated in writing by the Issuer to the Paying Agent. Any such substitute depository shall be a qualified and registered "clearing agency" as provided in Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The substitute depository shall provide for (i) immobilization of the Depository Bonds, (ii) registration and transfer of interests in Depository Bonds by book entries made on records of the depository or its nominee and (iii) payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds in accordance with and as such interests may appear with respect to such book entries.

Section 8. <u>Registration of Bonds; Appointment of Registrar; Transfer; Ownership;</u> <u>Delivery; and Cancellation</u>.

(a) <u>Registration</u>. The ownership of Bonds may be transferred only by the making of an entry upon the books kept for the registration and transfer of ownership of the Bonds, and in no other way. The City Treasurer is hereby appointed as Bond Registrar under the terms of this Resolution. Registrar shall maintain the books of the Issuer for the registration of ownership of the Bonds for the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds as provided in this Resolution. All Bonds shall be negotiable as provided in Article 8 of the Uniform Commercial Code and Section 384.31 of the Code of Iowa, subject to the provisions for registration and transfer contained in the Bonds and in this Resolution.

(b) <u>Transfer</u>. The ownership of any Bond may be transferred only upon the Registration Books kept for the registration and transfer of Bonds and only upon surrender thereof at the office of the Registrar together with an assignment duly executed by the holder or his duly authorized attorney in fact in such form as shall be satisfactory to the Registrar, along with the address and social security number or federal employer identification number of such transferee (or, if

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registration is to be made in the name of multiple individuals, of all such transferees). In the event that the address of the registered owner of a Bond (other than a registered owner which is the nominee of the broker or dealer in question) is that of a broker or dealer, there must be disclosed on the Registration Books the information pertaining to the registered owner required above. Upon the transfer of any such Bond, a new fully registered Bond, of any denomination or denominations permitted by this Resolution in aggregate principal amount equal to the unmatured and unredeemed principal amount of such transferred fully registered Bond, and bearing interest at the same rate and maturing on the same date or dates shall be delivered by the Registrar.

(c) <u>Registration of Transferred Bonds</u>. In all cases of the transfer of the Bonds, the Registrar shall register, at the earliest practicable time, on the Registration Books, the Bonds, in accordance with the provisions of this Resolution.

(d) <u>Ownership</u>. As to any Bond, the person in whose name the ownership of the same shall be registered on the Registration Books of the Registrar shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes, and payment of or on account of the principal of any such Bonds and the premium, if any, and interest thereon shall be made only to or upon the order of the registered owner thereof or his legal representative. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond, including the interest thereon, to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

(e) <u>Cancellation</u>. All Bonds which have been redeemed shall not be reissued but shall be cancelled by the Registrar. All Bonds which are cancelled by the Registrar shall be destroyed and a certificate of the destruction thereof shall be furnished promptly to the Issuer; provided that if the Issuer shall so direct, the Registrar shall forward the cancelled Bonds to the Issuer.

(f) <u>Non-Presentment of Bonds</u>. In the event any payment check representing payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds is returned to the Paying Agent or if any bond is not presented for payment of principal at the maturity or redemption date, if funds sufficient to pay such principal of or interest on Bonds shall have been made available to the Paying Agent for the benefit of the owner thereof, all liability of the Issuer to the owner thereof for such interest or

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payment of such Bonds shall forthwith cease, terminate and be completely discharged, and thereupon it shall be the duty of the Paying Agent to hold such funds, without liability for interest thereon, for the benefit of the owner of such Bonds who shall thereafter be restricted exclusively to such funds for any claim of whatever nature on his part under this Resolution or on, or with respect to, such interest or Bonds. The Paying Agent's obligation to hold such funds shall continue for a period equal to two years and six months following the date on which such interest or principal became due, whether at maturity, or at the date fixed for redemption thereof, or otherwise, at which time the Paying Agent, shall surrender any remaining funds so held to the Issuer, whereupon any claim under this Resolution by the Owners of such interest or Bonds of whatever nature shall be made upon the Issuer.

(g) <u>Registration and Transfer Fees</u>. The Registrar may furnish to each owner, at the Issuer's expense, one bond for each annual maturity. The Registrar shall furnish additional bonds in lesser denominations (but not less than the minimum denomination) to an owner who so requests.

Section 9. <u>Reissuance of Mutilated, Destroyed, Stolen or Lost Bonds</u>. In case any outstanding Bond shall become mutilated or be destroyed, stolen or lost, the Issuer shall at the request of Registrar authenticate and deliver a new Bond of like tenor and amount as the Bond so mutilated, destroyed, stolen or lost, in exchange and substitution for such mutilated Bond to Registrar, upon surrender of such mutilated Bond, or in lieu of and substitution for the Bond destroyed, stolen or lost, upon filing with the Registrar evidence satisfactory to the Registrar and Issuer that such Bond has been destroyed, stolen or lost and proof of ownership thereof, and upon furnishing the Registrar and Issuer with satisfactory indemnity and complying with such other reasonable regulations as the Issuer or its agent may prescribe and paying such expenses as the Issuer may incur in connection therewith.

Section 10. <u>Record Date</u>. Payments of principal and interest, otherwise than upon full redemption, made in respect of any Bond, shall be made to the registered holder thereof or to their designated agent as the same appear on the books of the Registrar on the 15th day of the month preceding the payment date. All such payments shall fully discharge the obligations of the Issuer in respect of such Bonds to the extent of the payments so made. Payment of principal shall only be made upon surrender of the Bond to the Paying Agent.

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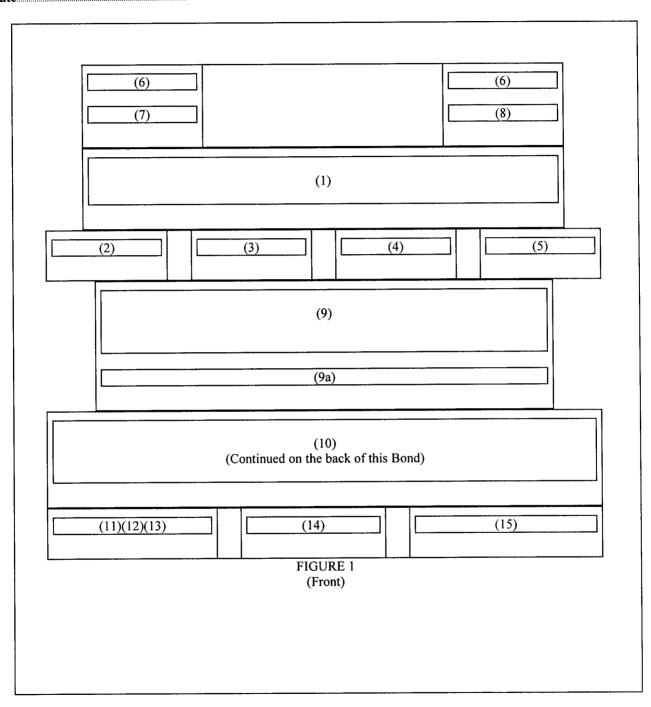
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Section 11. Execution, Authentication and Delivery of the Bonds. Upon the adoption of this Resolution, the Mayor and Clerk shall execute and deliver the Bonds to the Registrar, who shall authenticate the Bonds and deliver the same to or upon order of the original purchaser. No Bond shall be valid or obligatory for any purpose or shall be entitled to any right or benefit hereunder unless the Registrar shall duly endorse and execute on such Bond a Certificate of Authentication substantially in the form of the Certificate herein set forth. Such Certificate upon any Bond executed on behalf of the Issuer shall be conclusive evidence that the Bond so authenticated has been duly issued under this Resolution and that the holder thereof is entitled to the benefits of this Resolution.

Section 12. <u>Right to Name Substitute Paying Agent or Registrar</u>. Issuer reserves the right to name a substitute, successor Registrar or Paying Agent upon giving prompt written notice to each registered bondholder.

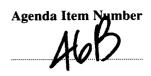
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Section 13. Form of Bond. Bonds shall be printed in substantial compliance with standards proposed by the American Standards Institute substantially in the form as follows:





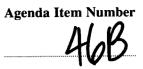
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The text of the Bonds to be located thereon at the item numbers shown shall be as follows:

Item 1, figure 1 = "STATE OF IOWA" "COUNTY OF POLK" "CITY OF DES MOINES" "GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND (URBAN RENEWAL)" "SERIES 2007C"

Item 2, figure 1	=	Rate:
Item 3, figure 1	=	Maturity:
Item 4, figure 1	=	Bond Date: June 28, 2007
Item 5, figure 1	=	Cusip No.:
Item 6, figure 1	=	"Registered"
Item 7, figure 1	=	Certificate No.
Item 8, figure 1	=	Principal Amount: \$

Item 9, figure 1 = The City of Des Moines, Iowa, a municipal corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Iowa (the "Issuer"), for value received, promises to pay from the source and as hereinafter provided, on the maturity date indicated above, to

Item 9A, figure 1 = (Registration panel to be completed by Registrar or Printer with name of Registered Owner).

Item 10, figure 1 = or registered assigns, the principal sum of <u>(principal amount</u> written out) THOUSAND DOLLARS in lawful money of the United States of America, on the maturity date shown above, only upon presentation and surrender hereof at the office of the City Treasurer, Paying Agent of this issue, or its successor, with interest on said sum from the date hereof until paid at the rate per annum specified above, payable on December 1, 2007, and semiannually thereafter on the 1st day of June and December in each year.

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Interest and principal shall be paid to the registered holder of the Bond as shown on the records of ownership maintained by the Registrar as of the 15th day of the month next preceding such interest payment date. Interest shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months.

This Bond is issued pursuant to the provisions of Section 403.12 of the Code of Iowa, for the purpose of paying costs of aiding in the planning, undertaking and carrying out of urban renewal project activities under the authority of Chapter 403 of the Code of Iowa and the Urban Renewal Plans for the Metro Center Urban Renewal Project Area, the Southeast Agribusiness Urban Renewal Area, and the Guthrie Avenue Business Park Urban Renewal Area, including the structural repair and corrosion protection of bridges and viaducts, the acquisition, construction and equipping of a Fire Department Logistics and Training Facility, the construction of a parking garage over the City Hall parking lot, the improvement of Principal Park Stadium, the construction and installation of Riverwalk project improvements, and the construction, reconstruction and repair of street, streetscape and skywalk system improvements, including I-235 storm and sanitary sewer improvements, the Southeast Connector improvements, Court Avenue streetscape and Riverpoint West street improvements; and it is deemed necessary and advisable that the City issue general obligation bonds for said purposes as authorized by Section 403.12 of the Code of Iowa, in conformity to a Resolution of the Council of said City duly passed and approved.

Unless this certificate is presented by an authorized representative of The Depository Trust Company, a New York corporation ("DTC"), to the Issuer or its agent for registration of transfer, exchange or payment, and any certificate issued is registered in the name of Cede & Co. or such other name as requested by an authorized representative of DTC (and any payment is made to Cede & Co. or to such other entity as is requested by an authorized representative of DTC), ANY TRANSFER, PLEDGE OR OTHER USE HEREOF FOR VALUE OR OTHERWISE BY OR TO ANY PERSON IS WRONGFUL inasmuch as the registered owner hereof, Cede & Co., has an interest herein.

Bonds maturing after June 1, 2015 may be called for redemption by the Issuer and paid before maturity on said date or any date thereafter, from any funds regardless of source, in whole or from time to time in part, in any order of maturity and within an annual maturity by lot. The terms of redemption shall be par, plus accrued interest to date of call.

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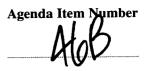
Thirty days' notice of redemption shall be given by certified mail to the registered owner of the Bond. Failure to give such notice by mail to any registered owner of the Bonds or any defect therein shall not affect the validity of any proceedings for the redemption of the Bonds. All Bonds or portions thereof called for redemption will cease to bear interest after the specified redemption date, provided funds for their redemption are on deposit at the place of payment.

If selection by lot within a maturity is required, the Registrar shall designate the Bonds to be redeemed by random selection of the names of the registered owners of the entire annual maturity until the total amount of Bonds to be called has been reached.

Ownership of this Bond may be transferred only by transfer upon the books kept for such purpose by the City Treasurer, the Registrar. Such transfer on the books shall occur only upon presentation and surrender of this Bond at the office of the Registrar as designated below, together with an assignment duly executed by the owner hereof or his duly authorized attorney in the form as shall be satisfactory to the Registrar. Issuer reserves the right to substitute the Registrar and Paying Agent but shall, however, promptly give notice to registered bondholders of such change. All Bonds shall be negotiable as provided in Article 8 of the Uniform Commercial Code and Section 384.31 of the Code of Iowa, subject to the provisions for registration and transfer contained in the Bond Resolution.

And it is hereby represented and certified that all acts, conditions and things requisite, according to the laws and Constitution of the State of Iowa, to exist, to be had, to be done, or to be performed precedent to the lawful issue of this Bond, have been existent, had, done and performed as required by law; that provision has been made for the levy of a sufficient continuing annual tax on all the taxable property within the territory of the Issuer for the payment of the principal and interest of this Bond as the same will respectively become due; that the faith, credit, revenues and resources and all the real and personal property of the Issuer are irrevocably pledged for the prompt payment hereof, both principal and interest; and the total indebtedness of the Issuer including this Bond, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations.





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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Issuer by its Council, has caused this Bond to be signed by the manual signature of its Mayor and attested by the manual signature of its City Clerk, with the seal of said City imprinted hereon, and to be authenticated by the manual signature of an authorized representative of the Registrar, City Treasurer, Des Moines, Iowa.

Item 11, figure 1 Item 12, figure 1	 Date of authentication: This is one of the Bonds described in the within mentioned Resolution, as registered by the City Treasurer.
	CITY TREASURER, Registrar
	By: Authorized Signature
Item 13, figure 1	= Registrar and Transfer Agent: City Treasurer Paying Agent: City Treasurer
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	CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA
	By: <u>(manual signature)</u> Mayor
	ATTEST:
	By: <u>(manual signature)</u>

City Clerk



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Item 17, figure 2 = [Assignment Block] [Information Required for Registration]

ASSIGNMENT

For value received, the undersigned hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto (Social Security or Tax Identification No. _____) the within Bond and does hereby irrevocably constitute and appoint _____) attorney in fact to transfer the said Bond on the books kept for registration of the within Bond, with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated _____.

(Person(s) executing this Assignment sign(s) here)

SIGNATURE) GUARANTEED) _____

IMPORTANT - READ CAREFULLY

The signature(s) to this Power must correspond with the name(s) as written upon the face of the certificate(s) or bond(s) in every particular without alteration or enlargement or any change whatever. Signature guarantee must be provided in accordance with the prevailing standards and procedures of the Registrar and Transfer Agent. Such standards and procedures may require signature to be guaranteed by certain eligible guarantor institutions that participate in a recognized signature guarantee program.



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INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR REGISTRATION OF TRANSFER

Name of Transfere	e(s)	 	
Address of Transfe	eree(s)	 	
Social Security or	Tax		
Identification Nu	mber of		
Transferee(s)		 	
Transferee is $a(n)$:			
Individual*	Corporation		
Partnership	Trust		

*If the Bond is to be registered in the names of multiple individual owners, the names of all such owners and one address and social security number must be provided.

The following abbreviations, when used in the inscription on the face of this Bond, shall be construed as though written out in full according to applicable laws or regulations:

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		(State)

ADDITIONAL ABBREVIATIONS MAY ALSO BE USED THOUGH NOT IN THE ABOVE LIST

Section 14. <u>Contract Between Issuer and Purchaser</u>. This Resolution constitutes a contract between said City and the purchaser of the Bonds.

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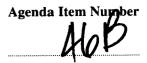
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Section 15. <u>Non-Arbitrage Covenants</u>. The Issuer reasonably expects and covenants that no use will be made of the proceeds from the issuance and sale of the Bonds issued hereunder which will cause any of the Bonds to be classified as arbitrage bonds within the meaning of Sections 148(a) and (b) of the Internal Revenue Code of the United States, as amended, and that throughout the term of the Bonds it will comply with the requirements of statutes and regulations issued thereunder.

To the best knowledge and belief of the Issuer, there are no facts or circumstances that would materially change the foregoing statements or the conclusion that it is not expected that the proceeds of the Bonds will be used in a manner that would cause the Bonds to be arbitrage bonds. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Issuer hereby agrees to comply with the provisions of the Tax Exemption Certificate and the provisions of the Tax Exemption Certificate are hereby incorporated by reference as part of this Resolution. The Treasurer is hereby directed to make and insert all calculations and determinations necessary to complete the Tax Exemption Certificate in all respects and to execute and deliver the Tax Exemption Certificate at issuance of the Bonds to certify as to the reasonable expectations and covenants of the Issuer at that date.

Section 16. <u>Additional Covenants, Representations and Warranties of the Issuer</u>. The Issuer certifies and covenants with the purchasers and holders of the Bonds from time to time outstanding that the Issuer through its officers, (a) will make such further specific covenants, representations and assurances as may be necessary or advisable; (b) comply with all representations, covenants and assurances contained in the Tax Exemption Certificate, which Tax Exemption Certificate shall constitute a part of the contract between the Issuer and the owners of the Bonds; (c) consult with bond counsel (as defined in the Tax Exemption Certificate); (d) pay to the United States, as necessary, such sums of money representing required rebates of excess arbitrage profits relating to the Bonds; (e) file such forms, statements and supporting documents as may be required and in a timely manner; and (f) if deemed necessary or advisable by its officers, to employ and pay fiscal agents, financial advisors, attorneys and other persons to assist the Issuer in such compliance.

Section 17. <u>Amendment of Resolution to Maintain Tax Exemption</u>. This Resolution may be amended without the consent of any owner of the Bonds if, in the opinion of bond counsel, such amendment is necessary to maintain tax exemption with respect to the Bonds under applicable Federal law or regulations.



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Section 18. <u>Continuing Disclosure</u>. The Issuer hereby covenants and agrees that it will comply with and carry out all of the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate, and the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Certificate are hereby incorporated by reference as part of this Resolution and made a part hereof. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Resolution, failure of the Issuer to comply with the Continuing Disclosure Certificate shall not be considered an event of default under this Resolution; however, any holder of the Bonds or Beneficial Owner may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking specific performance by court order, to cause the Issuer to comply with its obligations under the Continuing Disclosure Certificate. For purposes of this section, "Beneficial Owner" means any person which (a) has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or consent with respect to, or to dispose of ownership of, any Bond (including persons holding Bonds through nominees, depositories or other intermediaries), or (b) is treated as the owner of any Bonds for federal income tax purposes.

Section 19. <u>Severability Clause</u>. If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Resolution be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining provisions hereof, and this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

Section 20. <u>Repeal of Conflicting Resolutions or Ordinances</u>. That all ordinances and resolutions and parts of ordinances and resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

June 18, 2007

Date _____

Moved by:

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by: ______to adopt.

Form approved:

Deputy City Attorney

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COUNCIL ACTION	YEAS	NAYS	PASS	ABSENT	CERTIFICATE
COWNIE					
COLEMAN					I, DIANE RAUH, City Clerk of said City her certify that at a meeting of the City Counci
HENSLEY					said City of Des Moines, held on the above d
KIERNAN					among other proceedings the above was adopted
MAHAFFEY					AN AUTOROO WITCHEOF I have become act
MEYER					IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and affixed my seal the day and year f
VLASSIS					above written.
TOTAL					- 23 -
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June 11, 2007

Mr. Allen McKinley Finance Director/Treasurer City of Des Moines 400 Robert D. Ray Drive Des Moines, Iowa 50309

> RE: \$18,415,000 General Obligation Bonds, Series 2007B \$15,045,000 General Obligation Bonds, Series 2007C (Urban Renewal)

Dear Mr. McKinley:

With this letter I am enclosing suggested Roll Calls for action by the City Council at its meeting on June 18, 2007, authorizing the issuance of the above two series of Bonds in accordance with the terms of sale approved by the City Council. The various blank spaces included in the form of Bond approved in the Roll Calls need not be completed, since various amounts and dates will be inserted in the individual Bonds. *The Roll Calls must be approved by an affirmative vote equal to a majority of the full Council membership.*

The forms of Tax Exemption Certificate for the Series 2007B Bonds and Series 2007C Bonds and the forms of Continuing Disclosure Certificate for each of the two series are approved in these Roll Calls. Preliminary copies of these Certificates are enclosed for your review. Final execution copies of these items will be provided to you under separate cover, along with the other closing certificates and the original Bonds.

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The Tax Exemption Certificate is an important document. (There are several blank spaces that will be filled in once the purchaser has certified to the issue prices and reoffering yields). The completed version will contain important information concerning the calculated yield on the Series 2007B Bonds and Series 2007C Bonds and will contain a number of covenants and obligations on the part of the City. In each case, the final form of this Certificate should be retained as a part of your permanent records. I will not attempt to summarize all of the matters which are included in this Certificate but I do want to point out some important ones.

Tax exemption is based in part upon the fact that the use of the facilities to be acquired by the City with the proceeds will be for the benefit of the public and will not be used in the private trade or business of any business or non-tax-exempt entity. The properties acquired with the proceeds of the Series 2007B Bonds and Series 2007C Bonds must not be sold or diverted to any private or nonpublic use unless the significance of that action is reviewed by bond counsel.

In addition, the Tax Exemption Certificates will set forth the best knowledge and belief which you have as of today concerning the timely expenditure of the proceeds of the Series 2007B Bonds and Series 2007C Bonds as you reasonably expect expenditures to occur. If for any reason you find you will be prevented from expending the proceeds fully within three years, that matter should be referred to us.

The Series 2007B Bonds and Series 2007C Bonds are being issued under the expectation that the City will be exempt from the requirement to rebate arbitrage earnings to the United States Government. The applicable "spend-down" rebate exemptions are described in Section 3.3 of this Certificate.

There are a number of other general promises and commitments by the City to take or refrain from action, which are necessary to maintain the tax exemption of these bonds. You should recognize that these promises and commitments are required of the City on an ongoing basis and that the possibility of some additional future action does exist.

The Continuing Disclosure Certificates are required under the 1995 amendments to SEC Rule 15c2-12, generally prohibiting the underwriting and recommendation to the public of municipal securities for which adequate secondary market information is not available. The applicable covenants and duties of the City to provide continuing June 11, 2007 Page 3

disclosure to the marketplace while each series of the Bonds are outstanding are outlined in the Continuing Disclosure Certificate for each Series of Bonds.

In each case, the Continuing Disclosure Certificate obligates the City to provide annual financial information and operating data to certain information repositories so long as the applicable series of Bonds is outstanding, and also to provide notice to those repositories if certain material events occur which could impact the ability to pay principal and interest on the Bonds. The information to be provided annually is for the most part the same sort of data which is included in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the City. The eleven (11) material events which must be reported are detailed in the appropriate certificate, but the occurrence of other events which would be of concern to the rating agencies or bondholders also should be considered for disclosure under the anti-fraud provisions of the federal securities laws.

These disclosure requirements are ongoing and it will be important to designate an appropriate contact person who will have a primary responsibility for preparing and coordinating the filing of the annual financial information, operating data and any event notices.

The penalties for violation of the rule fall ultimately on the issuer of the bonds, because underwriters may be precluded from agreeing to underwrite or bid on bonds of issuers who have not complied with their disclosure obligations. Failure to comply therefore may result in fewer bids and ultimately no bids or the inability to secure an underwriter for an issue.

Closing Matters

As you know, the closing has been scheduled for June 28, 2007. The Bonds are being issued as "book-entry-only" securities, with one original Bond being prepared for each annual maturity, and registered in the nominee (CEDE & CO) of The Depository Trust Company.

As always, we would appreciate receiving certified copies of the enclosed Roll Calls for our transcript of the action taken once the Council has acted.

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If you have any questions concerning the enclosed Roll Calls, or any other aspect of this financing, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Yours very truly,

most

William J. Noth

WJN:dc encl.

cc: Diane Rauh (w/originals) Larry McDowell (w/encl.) Jon Burmeister (w/encl.)

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